



**PATENT APPLICATION**

**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: A METHOD OF IMPLEMENTING A TREE OF DISTRIBUTED OBJECTS IN  
DIFFERENT PROCESSES USING A DATA STRUCTURE AT THE ROOT LEVEL OF  
THE TREE

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

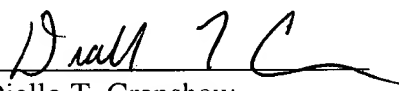
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